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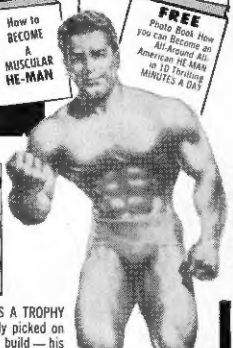

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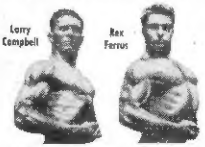

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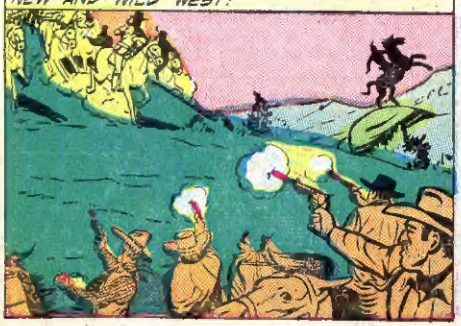
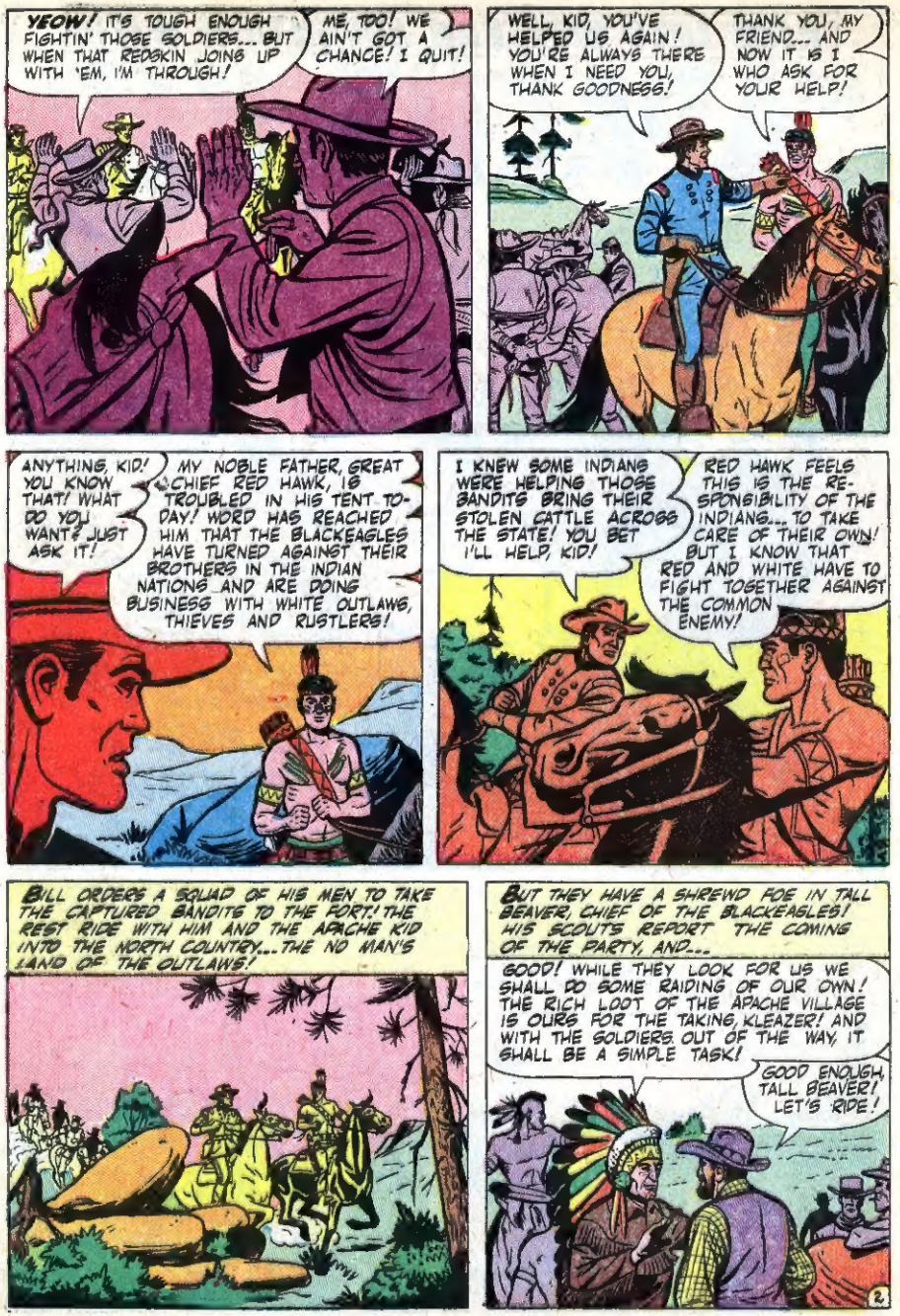


AND FIGHTING SIDE-BY-SIDE WITH HIS GREAT FRIEND, BILL GREGORY, IS THE MYSTERIOUS WARRIOR OF THE WEST, THE FABULOUS AND DARING SCOURGE OF LAW-BREAKERS, THE FIGHTER ON THE SIDE OF LAW AND ORDER--- **THE APACHE KID!**


YEOW! IT'S TOUGH ENOUGH FIGHTIN' THOSE SOLDIERS... BUT WHEN THAT REDSKIN JOINS UP WITH 'EM, I'M THROUGH!
ME, TOO! WE AIN'T GOT A CHANCE! I QUIT!
WELL, KID, YOU'VE HELPED US AGAIN! YOU'RE ALWAYS THERE WHEN I NEED YOU, THANK GOODNESS!
THANK YOU, MY FRIEND... AND NOW IT IS I WHO ASK FOR YOUR HELP!
ANYTHING, KID! YOU KNOW THAT! WHAT DO YOU WANT? JUST ASK IT!
MY NOBLE FATHER, GREAT CHIEF RED HAWK, IS TROUBLED IN HIS TENT TODAY! WORD HAS REACHED HIM THAT THE BLACKEAGLES HAVE TURNED AGAINST THEIR BROTHERS IN THE INDIAN NATIONS AND ARE DOING BUSINESS WITH WHITE OUTLAWS, THIEVES AND RUSTLERS!
I KNEW SOME INDIANS WERE HELPING THOSE BANDITS BRING THEIR STOLEN CATTLE ACROSS THE STATE! YOU BET I'LL HELP, KID!
RED HAWK FEELS THIS IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INDIANS... TO TAKE CARE OF THEIR OWN! BUT I KNOW THAT RED AND WHITE HAVE TO FIGHT TOGETHER AGAINST THE COMMON ENEMY!
BILL ORDERS A SQUAD OF HIS MEN TO TAKE THE CAPTURED BANDITS TO THE FORT! THE REST RIDE WITH HIM AND THE APACHE KID INTO THE NORTH COUNTRY... THE NO MAN'S LAND OF THE OUTLAWS!
BUT THEY HAVE A SHREWD FOE IN TALL BEAVER, CHIEF OF THE BLACKEAGLES! HIS SCOUTS REPORT THE COMING OF THE PARTY, AND...
GOOD! WHILE THEY LOOK FOR US WE SHALL DO SOME RAIDING OF OUR OWN! THE RICH LOOT OF THE APACHE VILLAGE IS OURS FOR THE TAKING, KLEAZER! AND WITH THE SOLDIERS OUT OF THE WAY, IT SHALL BE A SIMPLE TASK!
GOOD ENOUGH, TALL BEAVER! LET'S RIDE!
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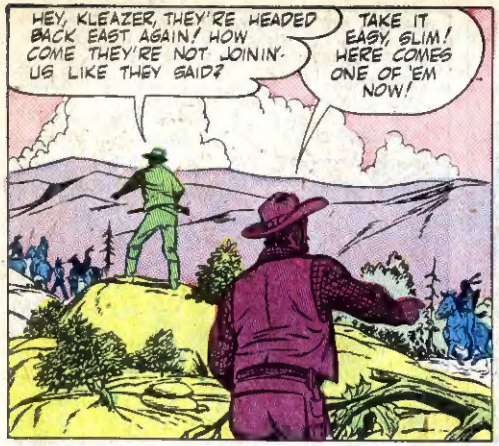
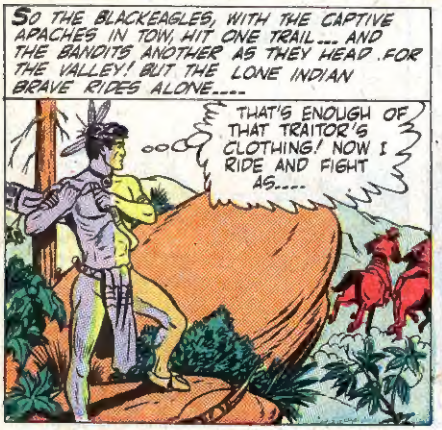
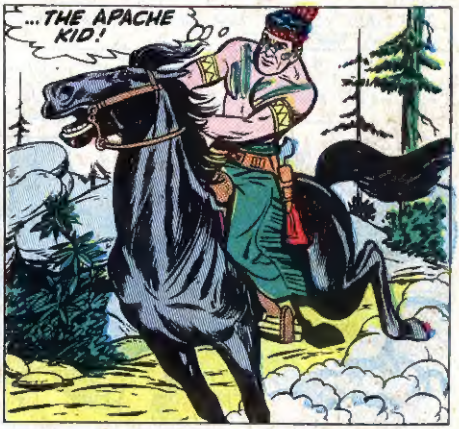
TRAITORS AGAINST THEIR OWN KIND, THE BLACKEAGLES JOIN WITH THE WHITE BANDITS IN A RAID ON THE APACHES, STEALING AWAY FROM THE VALLEY OF THE NORTH COUNTRY JUST AS THE SOLDIERS ENTER IT!
I DON'T LIKE THIS, CAPTAIN BILL! IT'S QUIET HERE...TOO QUIET!
THEY'RE PROBABLY HIDING FROM US, READY TO ATTACK WHEN THEY THINK WE'RE OFF GUARD! WELL, WE'LL FIND THEM FIRST!
BILL, LOOK! A GROUP OF HORSEMEN JUST RODE OUT OF HERE!
IT MAY BE A TRICK TO THROW US OFF! BLACKEAGLES ARE FOXY! I WOULDN'T TRUST A SIGN LIKE THAT, KID! IF WE CHASED THOSE TRACKS IT WOULD LEAD US UP A BLIND TRAIL!
MY HEART TELLS ME THERE IS TROUBLE, BILL! YOU AND YOUR MEN STAY HERE AND SEARCH! I WILL FOLLOW THE TRAIL! IF YOU DON'T FIND THEM SOON THEN HIDE YOURSELVES! THEY'LL BE BACK...AND SO WILL I!
KID! WAIT! I DON'T UNDERSTAND!
BUT THE APACHE KID IS GONE, THE HOOFS OF HIS MIGHTY HORSE, NIGHTWIND, BARELY TOUCHING THE GROUND AS THEY STREAK ALONG THE TRAIL OF THE RENEGADES!
RIDE, NIGHTWIND! RIDE! THERE IS MORE THAN BETRAYAL HERE! THERE IS DANGER...AND DEATH! IF TALL BEAVER IS PLANNING WHAT I SUSPECT, THEY NEED OUR HELP IN THE VILLAGE!
AT THAT VERY MOMENT SILENT FIGURES STALK OVER THE HILLS SURROUNDING THE APACHE VILLAGE! AN APACHE GUARD HEARS A SOUND...TURNS...TOO LATE!
YOU AND YOUR MEN WAIT HERE, KLEAZER! WE SHALL HANDLE THE APACHES!
THE PLEASURE'S ALL YOURS!

THE SAME SENSE OF IMPENDING DANGER THAT STIRS HIS ADOPTED SON ALSO STIRS IN THE BREAST OF RED HAWK!
WAIT, MY BROTHERS! SOMETHING IS WRONG.. IT IS TOO QUIET.... LIKE THE SOUND OF SILENCE BEFORE A MORTAL STORM!
IT IS NOTHING, RED HAWK! LET US GO ON WITH OUR POWWOW ABOUT THE RENEGADES!
THE NEXT INSTANT THE AIR IS CHARGED WITH THE WILD BATTLE CRIES OF THE RENEGADES AS THEY RAID THE VILLAGE!
AIEEEEEEE!
AIEEEEEEE!
BLACKEAGLES!
THE APACHES, ALTHOUGH CAUGHT OFF GUARD, FIGHT BACK BRAVELY!
THE BATTLE IS FIERCE AND HARD, BUT THE LARGER FORCE OF BLACK-EAGLES OVERPOWERS THE APACHES!
YOU ARE MY CAPTIVES AT LAST, ONCE-MIGHTY RED HAWK!
ENJOY YOUR TRIUMPH WHILE YOU CAN, TRAITOR TO OUR PEOPLE! IT SHALL NOT BE FOR LONG!
HEY, TALL BEAVER, KLEAZER SENT ME TO TELL YUH THAT HE'S HEADED BACK TO NORTH VALLEY! YOU'RE TO MEET HIM THERE!
VERY WELL! BLACKEAGLES, TIE THE APACHES AND TAKE THEM WITH US! WE SHALL CELEBRATE OUR VICTORY WITH OUR WHITE BROTHERS!
APACHE KID! AT LAST!
AS THE PROCESSION SETS OUT FOR THE FALSE RENDEZVOUS, THE WHITE STRANGER LAGS BEHIND, NEAR THE LAST BLACKEAGLE! THEN... HE STRIKES!
YOU DIE A SILENT DEATH, MY FRIEND! I AM IN NEED OF YOUR CLOTHES!


HEY, KLEAZER, THEY'RE HEADED BACK EAST AGAIN! HOW COME THEY'RE NOT JOININ' US LIKE THEY SAID?
TAKE IT EASY, SLIM! HERE COMES ONE OF 'EM NOW!

GREETINGS FROM THE MIGHTY CHIEF, TALL BEAVER! HE WILL MEET YOU IN THE NORTH VALLEY, OH WHITE BROTHERS!
I THOUGHT SO! LET'S HIT THE TRAIL, BOYS! WITH THE APACHES OUTTA THE WAY AND THE BLACKEAGLES ON OUR SIDE, WE'LL HAVE THE RUN OF THIS WHOLE COUNTY!


SO THE BLACKEAGLES, WITH THE CAPTIVE APACHES IN TOW, HIT ONE TRAIL... AND THE BANDITS ANOTHER AS THEY HEAD FOR THE VALLEY! BUT THE LONE INDIAN BRAVE RIDES ALONE....
THAT'S ENOUGH OF THAT TRAITOR'S CLOTHING! NOW I RIDE AND FIGHT AS.....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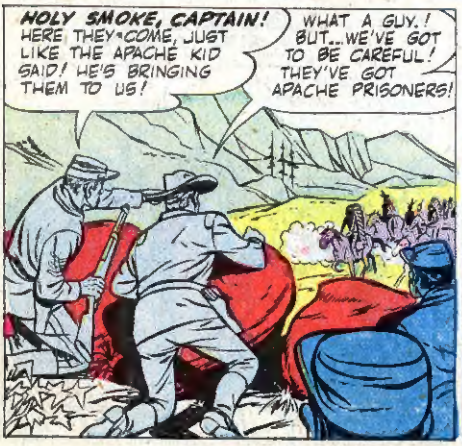
HOLY SMOKE, CAPTAIN! HERE THEY COME, JUST LIKE THE APACHE KID SAID! HE'S BRINGING THEM TO US!
WHAT A GUY.! BUT...WE'VE GOT TO BE CAREFUL! THEY'VE GOT APACHE PRISONERS!

...AND HERE COME THE OUTLAWS..!
RIGHT INTO THE TRAP! GET READY FOR THE BIGGEST FIGHT OF OUR LIVES, MEN!

THE HOOF BEATS OF NIGHTWIND ARE AS SILENT AS THE COUGAR'S STALK AS THE APACHE KID RIDES OUT OF THE BRUSH TOWARD THE CAPTIVE APACHES!
KID..!
BEFORE THE BLACKEAGLES KNOW WHAT HITS THEM, HE RIDES THROUGH THE RANKS OF HIS TRIBESMEN, KNIFE SLASHING AT THEIR BONDS!
EH? WHAT'S THIS? IT'S... IT'S THE APACHE KID!
FIGHT, MY BROTHERS! FIGHT!
THE NEXT MOMENT, THE BANDITS SWING INTO VIEW IN THE VALLEY!
AHA! HOW WILL YOU HANDLE ALL OF US, FOOLHARDY APACHE?
I HAVE MY OWN WAY! YOU HAVE GLOATED TOO LONG OVER YOUR FALSE TRIUMPH, RENEGADE!
ALL RIGHT, MEN! THIS IS IT! CHARGE!
AND STRAIGHT INTO THE THICK OF BATTLE THUNDERS THE VALIANT COMMAND OF CAPTAIN BILL GREGORY OF THE U.S. CAVALRY!
SOLDIERS! WHERE'D THEY COME FROM!
ASK NO FOOLISH QUESTIONS! FIGHT FOR YOUR LIVES!
ABOVE THE SOUND OF BATTLE THE APACHE KID SHOUTS HIS ORDER TO THE CAVALRY CAPTAIN!
TAKE CARE OF THE BANDITS, CAPTAIN BILL! THE BLACKEAGLES ARE THE TASK OF THE APACHES!
RIGHT, KID!
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SO, WHILE THE SOLDIERS MOP UP THE OUTLAWS.....
...THE ENRAGED APACHES, LED BY THE WEST'S MOST MYSTERIOUS WARRIOR, DEAL WITH THE RENEGADE INDIANS!
IF I DIE, APACHE KID, I'M TAKING YOU WITH ME...!
THANK YOU, MY FRIEND! YOU HAVE SAVED MY LIFE!
NOW OUR DEBT IS EVEN, APACHE KID! YOU'RE ALWAYS THERE WHEN I NEED YOU--- AND I'M GLAD I WAS HERE WHEN YOU NEEDED ME!
AND THAT'S HOW WE MUST BE... THE FORCES OF JUSTICE MUST STAND TOGETHER... UNTIL ALL TREACHERY AND LAWLESSNESS ARE WIPED OUT FOREVER!
THE TAMING OF THE WEST IS A TOUGH JOB, KID... BUT WE'LL DO OUR BEST!
THE END

TO KILL A SHERIFF

IT was getting pretty close to sundown when the man stumbling through the Arizona Desert realized he was coming close to a town. In the dimming light he could barely make out the outlines of a few dozen wooden shacks, a couple of false-fronted saloons, and a railroad depot.

For one horrible moment, Wild Sam Pecos—wanted in a dozen states for everything from murder to rustling to bank robbery—thought it was only a mirage; a trick of his water-starved mind, but then he topped another rise and he could hear the faint sound of men laughing in one of the saloons.

"Made it!" he told himself hoarsely. "I'm goin' to live!"

Another hour, and he found himself on the town's dusty main street. Night had set in now, and he made his way to the nearest lighted saloon. He pushed through the swinging doors and clutched the bar to keep himself from falling.

"Water," he croaked, "water! I just come off the desert."

Wild Sam grabbed the pitcher the startled bartender produced, and without waiting for a glass, raised it to his lips. He drank greedily from the pitcher, letting the cool water splash onto his chest.

Finally, he'd taken all he could hold. With a sigh, he placed the pitcher back on the bar. It was not till then that Wild Sam realized there were other men in the saloon besides himself and the bartender. Six of them. Two old prospecters, a young cowhand, a tinhorn gambler, and a couple of the town's tradesmen. They were all gazing at him with surprise, waiting for him to speak.

"My hoss," Wild Sam told them in his hoarse voice. "Drank from a poisoned water hole about two days from here. My canteen lasted just a few more hours, I bin without water since yesterday."

All of which, Wild Sam told himself, was true enough. It just wasn't the whole truth. There was no sense in mentioning the five thousand dollars in gold buried near the dead horse, or the three men lying dead further out in the desert—three men who'd helped him rob the bank in Sage City, and whom he'd killed for their share of the gold.

"Didn't catch the name, stranger," said one of the tradesmen mildly.

"Uh, Sam . . . Sam Pennyfeather," Wild Sam answered with a straight face. "I was prospecting with some friends, and kinda got separated. Guess they'll be showin' up in a day or so."

That should hold them. They might be suspicious, but they'd never guess who he really was. Even if they had a reward poster in the town with his picture on it, they'd never recognize him. He had a full beard now, and the ordeal in the desert had gaunted him so that he had no resemblance to his former burly appearance. He'd rest a day, then buy a horse and a new outfit with the few gold pieces he'd carried with him. After that, all he had to do was dig up the rest of the gold and head Eastward . . . to safety.

"What do you call this town, friend?" he asked the bartender easily.

"Why, this here is Tumbleweed," the man told him.

Tumbleweed! Wild Sam felt panic roar through him, and his knees almost buckled. Of all the places to wind up in! This was the town that boasted Bat Thurston as sheriff . . .

Wild Sam's memory went back to that day, ten years before, when he'd first run into Bat Thurston. Sam had been rustling some cattle down in Texas and Sheriff Bat Thurston had caught him red-handed. But Wild Sam Pecos had the fastest draw in the Southwest and, laughing evilly, he'd pulled down on the sheriff. And it was on that day that Wild Sam met his match.

For Sam's guns hadn't even cleared their holsters when flame was spitting from the ends of Sheriff Bat Thurston's silver-mounted sixes. Two shots, and the guns were knocked

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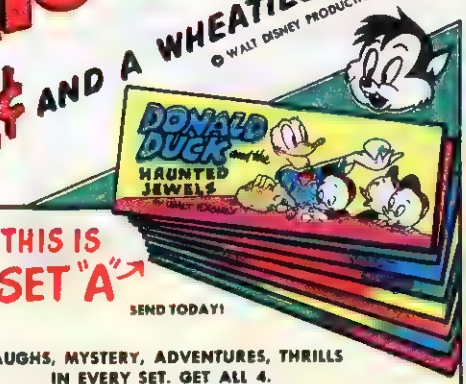

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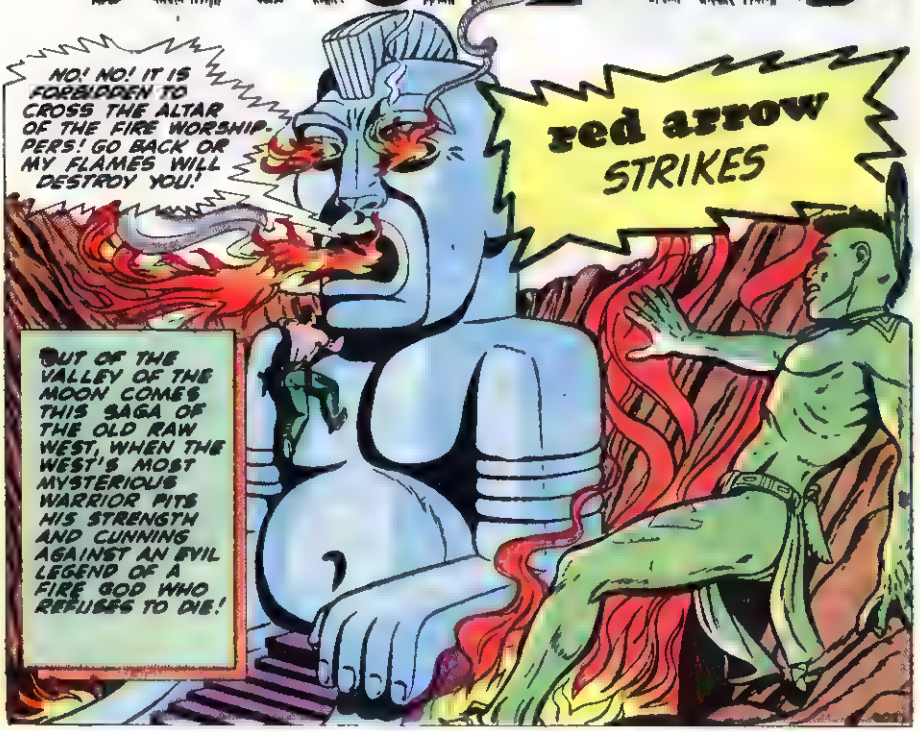
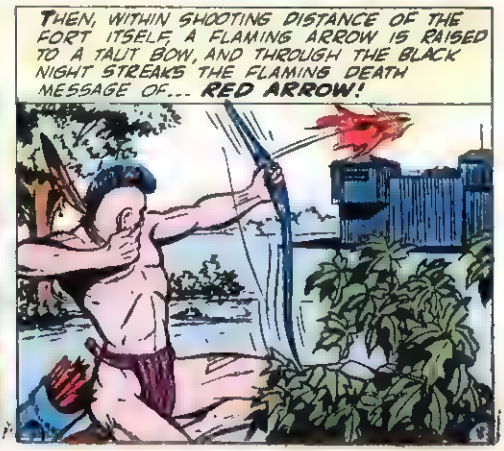
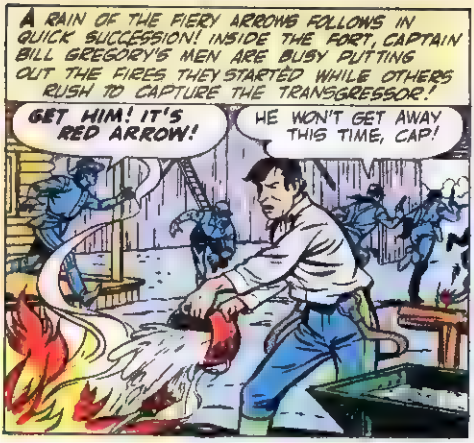
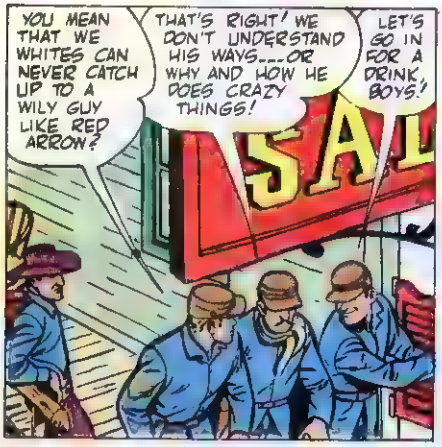

NO! NO! IT IS FORBIDDEN TO CROSS THE ALTAR OF THE FIRE WORSHIPPERS! GO BACK OR MY FLAMES WILL DESTROY YOU!
red arrow STRIKES
OUT OF THE VALLEY OF THE MOON COMES THIS SAGA OF THE OLD RAW WEST, WHEN THE WEST'S MOST MYSTERIOUS WARRIOR PITS HIS STRENGTH AND CUNNING AGAINST AN EVIL LEGEND OF A FIRE GOD WHO REFUSES TO DIE!

SILENT AS THE STALK OF A PANTHER, GRIM AS THE COMING OF A DAY OF DOOM, A REDSKIN MAKES HIS WAY THROUGH THE WOODS, AND PAST THE EYES OF THE SENTRIES OF FORT MADISON...

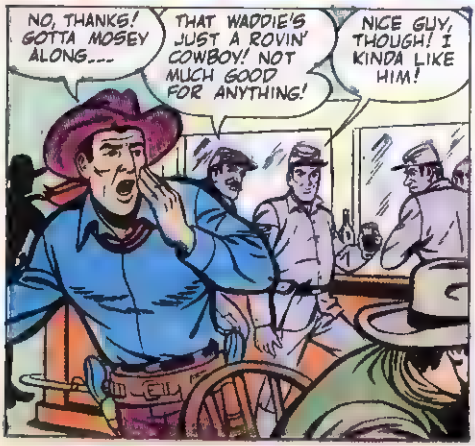

THEN, WITHIN SHOOTING DISTANCE OF THE FORT ITSELF, A FLAMING ARROW IS RAISED TO A TAUT BOW, AND THROUGH THE BLACK NIGHT STREAKS THE FLAMING DEATH MESSAGE OF... RED ARROW!

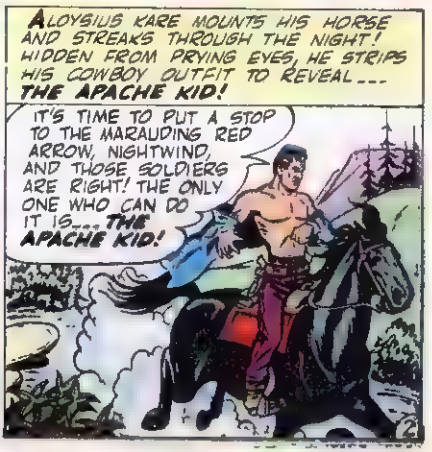

A RAIN OF THE FIERY ARROWS FOLLOWS IN QUICK SUCCESSION! INSIDE THE FORT, CAPTAIN BILL GREGORY'S MEN ARE BUSY PUTTING OUT THE FIRES THEY STARTED WHILE OTHERS RUSH TO CAPTURE THE TRANSGRESSOR!
GET HIM! IT'S RED ARROW!
HE WON'T GET AWAY THIS TIME, CAP!

BUT AS SILENTLY AS HE CAME, RED ARROW VANISHES BEFORE THE VERY EYES OF THE SOLDIERS!
BLAST THAT INJUN! HE STRIKES... AND DISAPPEARS!
BUT WHY DOES HE DO THAT?
WHO KNOWS? ONLY AN INJUN CAN TELL THE WAYS OF AN INJUN...!


YOU MEAN THAT WE WHITES CAN NEVER CATCH UP TO A WILY GUY LIKE RED ARROW?
THAT'S RIGHT! WE DON'T UNDERSTAND HIS WAYS... OR WHY AND HOW HE DOES CRAZY THINGS!
LET'S GO IN FOR A DRINK, BOYS!
SAL

RED ARROW'S GOT SOME KINDA GRUDGE AGAINST THE FORT! ON THE SAME DAY AND HOUR OF EVERY MONTH HE SETS FIRE TO IT, AND NO MATTER HOW MANY GUARDS WE HAVE, HE ALWAYS MANAGES TO SLIP THROUGH! IT BEATS ME!
THERE'S ONLY ONE GUY CAN CATCH UP WITH HIM!
YOU SAID IT... THE APACHE KID! HAVE A DRINK WITH US, KARE?


NO, THANKS! GOTTA MOSEY ALONG...
THAT WADDIE'S JUST A ROVIN' COWBOY! NOT MUCH GOOD FOR ANYTHING!
NICE GUY, THOUGH! I KINDA LIKE HIM!


ALOYSIUS KARE MOUNTS HIS HORSE AND STREAKS THROUGH THE NIGHT! HIDDEN FROM PRYING EYES, HE STRIPS HIS COWBOY OUTFIT TO REVEAL... THE APACHE KID!
IT'S TIME TO PUT A STOP TO THE MARAUDING RED ARROW, NIGHTWIND, AND THOSE SOLDIERS ARE RIGHT! THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN DO IT IS... THE APACHE KID!

THE KEEN SENSES OF THE WEST'S MOST MYSTERIOUS WARRIOR PICK UP THE TRAIL OF RED ARROW NEAR THE FORT AND FOLLOW IT INTO THE HIDDEN VALLEY OF THE MOON...

NO ONE HAS BEEN HERE SINCE THE LAST OF THE EVIL FIRE WORSHIPPERS DIED, WHEN THEY ALL THREW THEMSELVES INTO THE FIRES OF THE INFERNO GOD MANY MOONS AGO! WHAT COULD RED ARROW BE DOING HERE?

THE TRAIL NOW GROWS WARM AND THE KID GOES ON FOOT... PAST THE GREAT ROCKS THAT LINE THE RIM OF THE ANCIENT FIRE ALTAR!

IT IS QUIET--TOO QUIET! I DO NOT LIKE THIS AWFUL SILENCE...AND--THAT GLOW IN THE SKY--! WHAT IS THAT?

SUDDENLY HUGE FLAMES LEAP UP FROM THE DEPTHS OF THE CRATER... THE FIRE ALTAR SPRINGS TO LIFE WITH THE FURY OF PENT-UP FIRES AND THROW BACK THE APACHE KID WITH ITS TERRIBLE HEAT!

THEN... THE KID BECOMES ACCUSTOMED TO THE HEAT AND THE GLARE... HIS EYES PENETRATE THE FIRE AND SMOKE, AND THERE BEFORE HIM IS THE GREAT INFERNO GOD OF THE ANCIENT FIRE WORSHIPPERS... AND... **RED ARROW!**

SPEAK, OH, GOD OF MY FATHERS! PUNISH ME FOR HAVING FAILED YOU AGAIN! MINE IS THE CRIME--- YOURS IS THE PUNISHMENT!

YOU HAVE DEMANDED THE LIVES OF THE SOLDIERS AT THE FORT IN REVENGE FOR THE WHITE MARAUDERS WHO TOOK OVER OUR HUNTING LANDS! EACH NEW MOON I HAVE TRIED... AND EACH TIME I HAVE FAILED! I AM NOT WORTHY OF BEING YOUR SERVANT!

THE POOR WARRIOR--- HE'S MAD WITH THE FIRE LUST OF DEATH!

SUDDENLY... OUT OF THE UGLY MOUTH OF THE INFERNO GOD... A FLAME SHOOTS.. UPWARD TOWARD THE FIGURE OF THE APACHE KID!

A SPY! A TRAITOR SPY FOR THE WHITE VULTURES!

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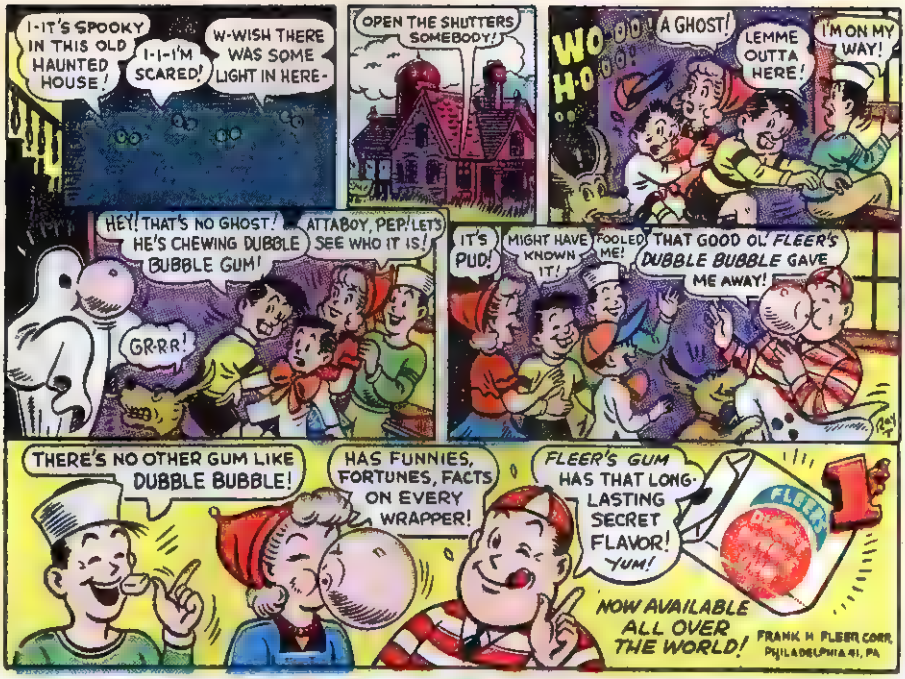
I-IT'S SPOOKY IN THIS OLD HAUNTED HOUSE!
I-I-I'M SCARED!
W-WISH THERE WAS SOME LIGHT IN HERE-
OPEN THE SHUTTERS SOMEBODY!
WOOOO! H-O-O-O!
A GHOST!
LEMME OUTTA HERE!
I'M ON MY WAY!
HEY! THAT'S NO GHOST! HE'S CHEWING DUBBLE BUBBLE GUM!
ATTABOY, PEP! LET'S SEE WHO IT IS!
GR-RR!
IT'S PUD!
MIGHT HAVE KNOWN IT!
FOOLED ME!
THAT GOOD OL' FLEER'S DUBBLE BUBBLE GAVE ME AWAY!
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RED ARROW! WAIT! DO NOT SHOOT!
BUT THE FLAMING ARROW SPEEDS ON, DEATH AT ITS TIP FOR THE VALIANT FIGHTER FOR JUSTICE! THERE IS ONLY ONE WAY OF ESCAPE FOR THE APACHE KID---FORWARD!
GRACEFUL AS A BIRD IN FLIGHT, THE DIVING FIGURE OF THE APACHE KID STREAKS TOWARD RED ARROW, WHO LETS FLY A BARRAGE OF FIRE ARROWS!
DIE! DIE! DIE! DOG OF A TRAITOR!
NOT YET, RED ARROW! MY TIME IS NOT YET!
...BUT YOURS IS!
UGHHHHH! SAVE ME, INFERNO GOD!
HOLD STILL, RED ARROW, AND LISTEN TO ME! YOU ARE TRAVELING THE PATH TO DEATH! THE INFERNO GOD HAS TWISTED YOUR MIND AND SET EVIL SPIRITS TO WORK IN IT! GIVE UP THIS MAD QUEST TO DESTROY THE SOLDIERS! THEY ARE THE FRIENDS TO THE RED MAN!
YOUR FRIENDS ---NOT MINE! I LISTEN ONLY TO HIS COMMANDS!
HE IS NOTHING-- ONLY A FIGURE OF STONE WITH FIRES FROM A VOLCANO TO SWAY YOU! RETURN WITH ME TO THE LAND OF THE LIVING AND FIND PEACE FOR YOUR TROUBLED MIND!
NOTHING--IS HE? LOOK INTO HIS EYES! LISTEN TO HIS VOICE... THEN TELL ME IF YOU STILL BELIEVE HE IS NOTHING BUT STONE!
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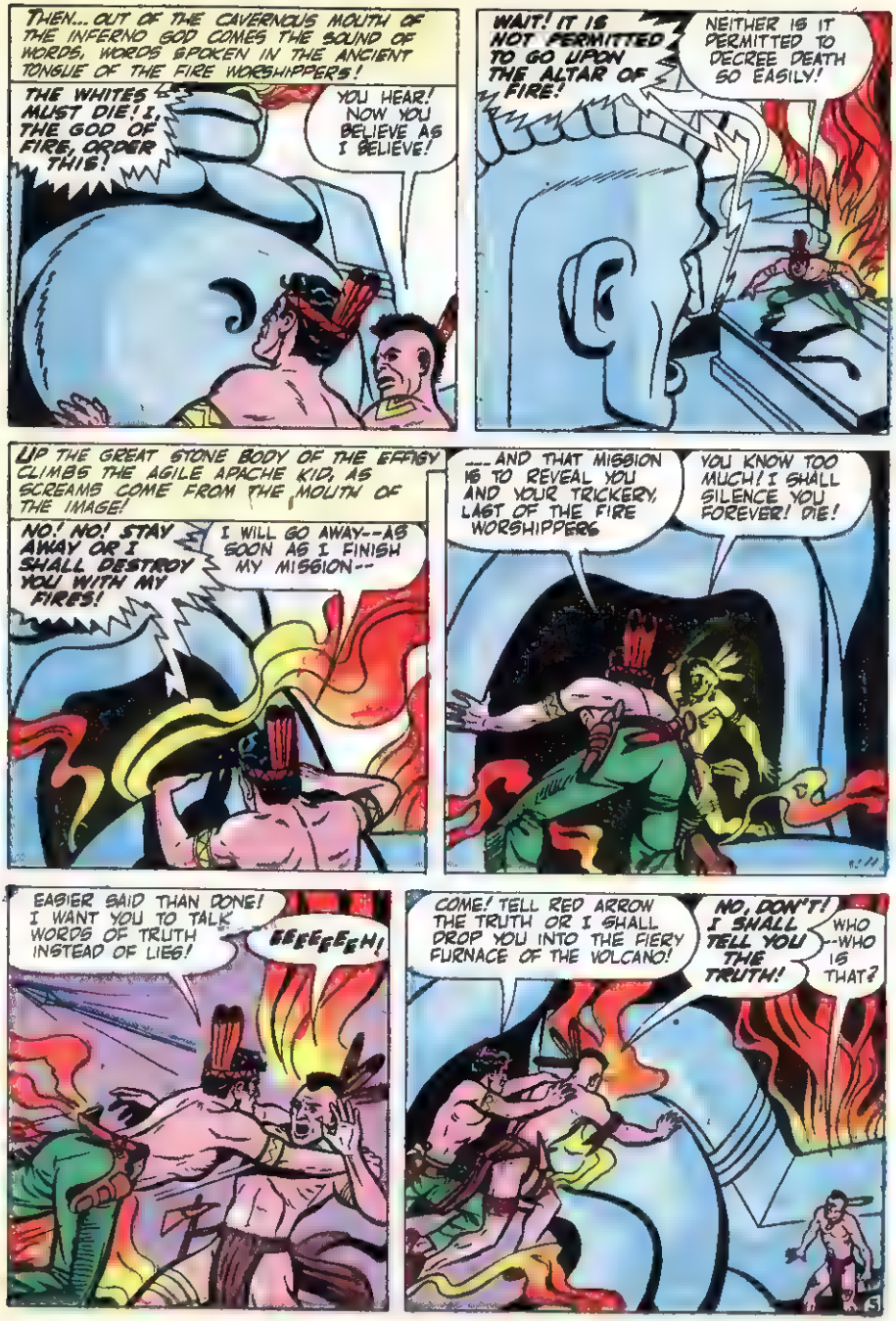
THEN... OUT OF THE CAVERNOUS MOUTH OF THE INFERNO GOD COMES THE SOUND OF WORDS, WORDS SPOKEN IN THE ANCIENT TONGUE OF THE FIRE WORSHIPPERS!
THE WHITES MUST DIE! I, THE GOD OF FIRE, ORDER THIS!
YOU HEAR! NOW YOU BELIEVE AS I BELIEVE!
WAIT! IT IS NOT PERMITTED TO GO UPON THE ALTAR OF FIRE!
NEITHER IS IT PERMITTED TO DECREE DEATH SO EASILY!
UP THE GREAT STONE BODY OF THE EFFIGY CLIMBS THE AGILE APACHE KID, AS SCREAMS COME FROM THE MOUTH OF THE IMAGE!
NO! NO! STAY AWAY OR I SHALL DESTROY YOU WITH MY FIRES!
I WILL GO AWAY--AS SOON AS I FINISH MY MISSION--
---AND THAT MISSION IS TO REVEAL YOU AND YOUR TRICKERY, LAST OF THE FIRE WORSHIPPERS
YOU KNOW TOO MUCH! I SHALL SILENCE YOU FOREVER! DIE!
EASIER SAID THAN DONE! I WANT YOU TO TALK WORDS OF TRUTH INSTEAD OF LIES!
EEEEEEEH!
COME! TELL RED ARROW THE TRUTH OR I SHALL DROP YOU INTO THE FIERY FURNACE OF THE VOLCANO!
NO, DON'T! I SHALL TELL YOU THE TRUTH!
WHO --WHO IS THAT?

TALK! TELL HIM WHO YOU REALLY ARE!
I--I AM THE SON OF THE FIRE WORSHIPPERS! WHEN I WAS A SMALL BOY MY PEOPLE THREW THEMSELVES INTO THE FIRES TO PUNISH THEMSELVES FOR THEIR EVIL! I HID HERE AND GREW UP ALONE, PLANNING TO CARRY ON THEIR WORK AND CREATE MY OWN EVIL!
ONE DAY YOU, RED ARROW, WANDERED INTO THE VALLEY OF THE MOON! I HID IN THE MOUTH OF THE INFERNO GOD AND PRETENDED TO BE HIS VOICE, COMMANDING YOU TO SPREAD TERROR IN HIS NAME! YOU BELIEVED ME BUT YOU FAILED... AND NOW I, TOO, HAVE FAILED...
...SO I FACE THE PUNISHMENT OF FIRE AS MY PEOPLE DID BEFORE ME!
EEEEEEEEEEH!
SO IT IS OVER, RED ARROW! NOW DO YOU BELIEVE ME--- OR THE INFERNO GOD?
YOU... AND I THANK YOU FOR SETTING ME ON THE PATH OF TRUTH AGAIN!
BUT WHY DID HE KILL HIMSELF WHEN HE WAS AFRAID TO LET YOU THROW HIM INTO THE FIRES?
A TRADITION OF HIS FATHERS WAS THAT IT IS MORE HONORABLE TO DIE BY YOUR OWN HAND! ONLY THEN CAN YOU JOIN THEM, WHEREVER THEY MAY BE AFTER DEATH....
SO THE TWO FORMER OPPONENTS, NOW FAST FRIENDS, RIDE AWAY FROM THE VALLEY OF THE MOON AND ITS FLAMING SECRETS--- SECRETS THAT LIE BURIED BENEATH THE LAVA OF THE SURGING VOLCANO! RED ARROW HAS STRUCK FOR THE LAST TIME!
THE END

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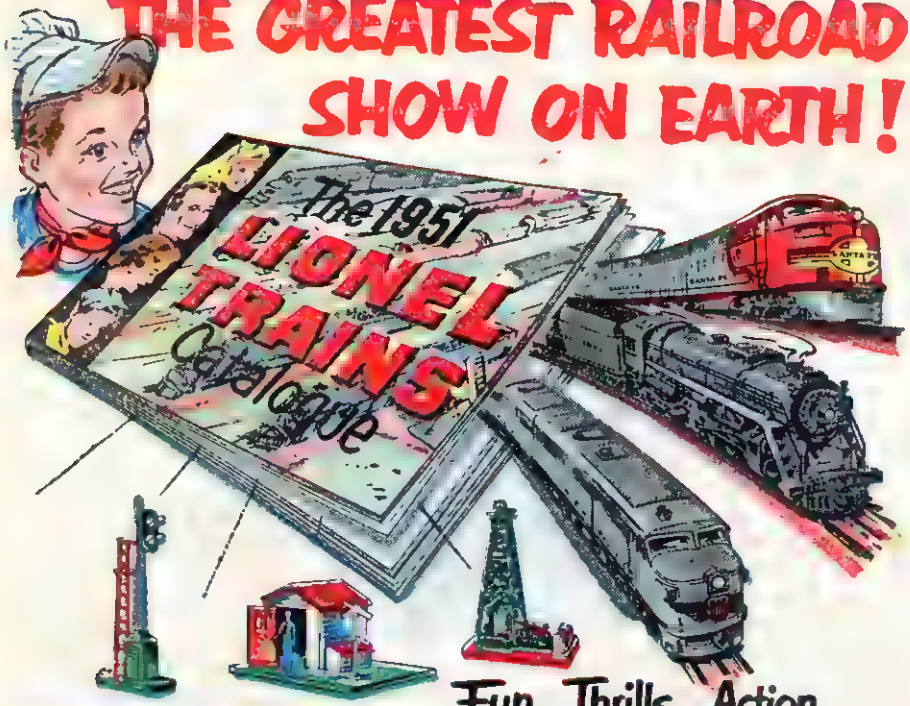

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from Wild Sam's hands. A third bullet caught him in the leg when he tried to turn and run.

Wild Sam was basically a coward. His brutal courage stemmed only from the fact that he believed he could outdraw any man who wore a gun. The three years he'd spent in the penitentiary Bat Thurston had sent him to, were filled with nightmares of those silver-mounted guns blazing death at him. Even after he managed to break out of the pen, Sam never forgot those guns, and when he'd heard Bat had moved to a town called Tumbleweed, Sam made up his mind to ride wide of Sheriff Bat Thurston. And now here he was in Tumbleweed . . .

"Say Mr. Pennyfeather," the young cowhand said, "you're lookin' kinda green. Maybe you'd better sit down."

"Sure," Sam muttered, Sure thing." He plopped into a chair at one of the tables.

"If you gents are through rubberin'," the tinhorn suggested, "perhaps we can get on with our game."

The other men joined the gambler, who promptly broke out a fresh deck of cards.

One of the tradesmen turned toward Sam. "Not a bad little town we have here," he said. "As I was sayin' to our sheriff, young Bat Thurston, just the other day—"

"*Young* Bat?" Wild Sam said sharply.

"Yeah. He's the son of the famous Bat Thurston, y'know. Old Bat was thrown from a horse two years back and killed. We elected the kid in his place. 'Course he ain't anythin' near the man his pappy was, but we don't have much trouble here in Tumbleweed. His office is right next door, and—"

"Keep your eyes on the game," the tinhorn interrupted, and the tradesman broke off.

So old Bat Thurston was dead, was he? Wild Sam Pecos felt the fear wash out of him. Wild Sam knew he could outdraw a green kid any day in the week. And that opened up a new line of thought.

Old Bat had sent him to prison, and given him ten years

of fear. What better revenge could Wild Sam have then to gun down Bat Thurston's son? A rumpus would bring the kid running, and Sam would be waiting for him. He could be out of the saloon before the others would recover from their surprise. There was sure to be a saddled horse somewhere in town, and he could take right off for his gold. It would mean moving faster then he'd intended, but the pleasure of killing Bat Thurston's son would make up for that.

Wild Sam Pecos made up his mind.

With a wild yell, he leaped to his feet, overturning the table. He pulled his sixguns and fired two shots into the ceiling.

"I'm Wild Sam Pecos!" he howled. "An' I'm goin' on the rampage!"

Then he holstered his guns and stood waiting, facing the batwings. No one in the saloon dared to even breathe, and in the silence Wild Sam could hear the sound of someone running up the board walk.

A young man burst through the swinging doors, shouting, "What's going on—"

"Your pappy sent me to the pen, and I've come to kill you!" Wild Sam yelled. "Fill your hand!" Then Wild Sam's hands streaked for his own guns.

Young Bat Thurston's face showed sudden shock, then his hands whipped down to . . . *two silver-mounted pistols!*

For one deadly instant, Wild Sam froze as he recognized those guns. All the fear of ten years swept over him. Then, desperately, he was trying to clear his sixguns, but it was too late. The young sheriff's guns were out—the guns he'd gotten from his father—and they were blazing lead.

And the last thing Wild Sam Pecos ever saw was death, roaring at him out of the muzzles of Bat Thurston's silver-mounted pistols.

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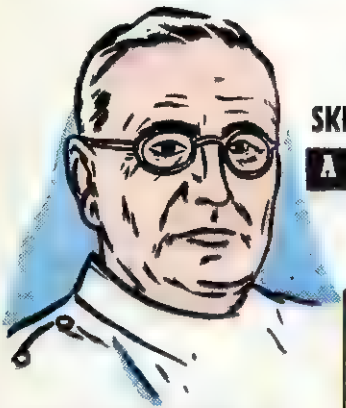

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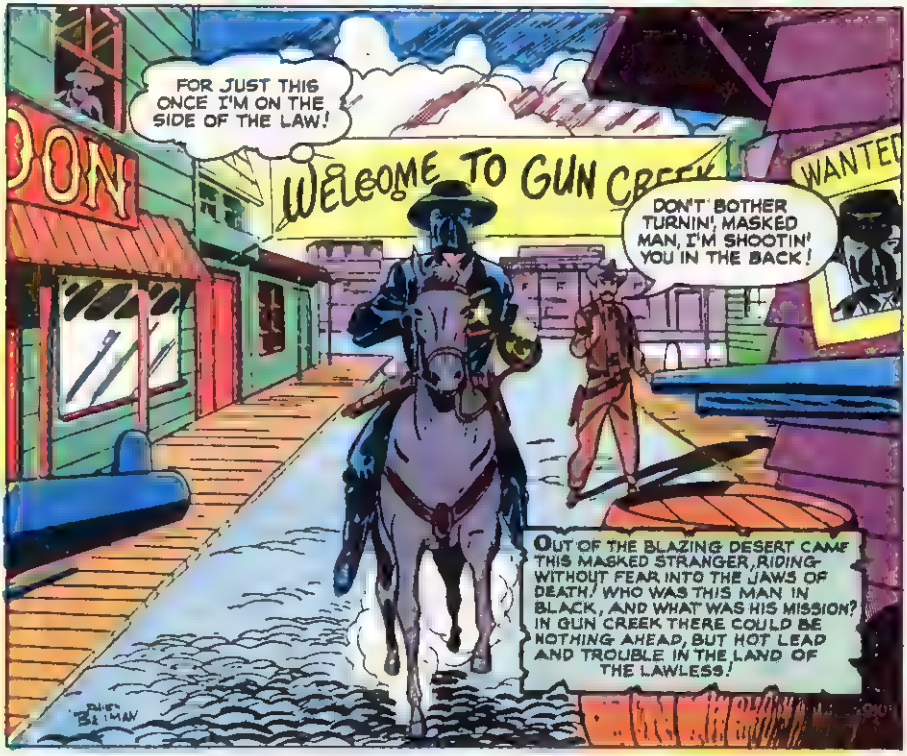
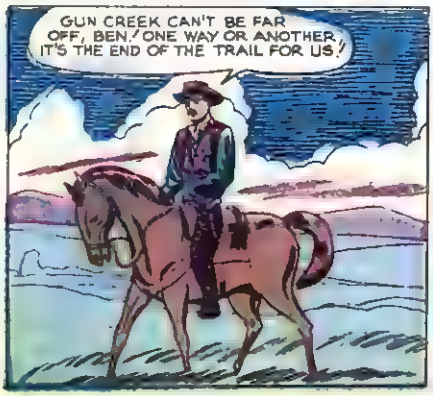
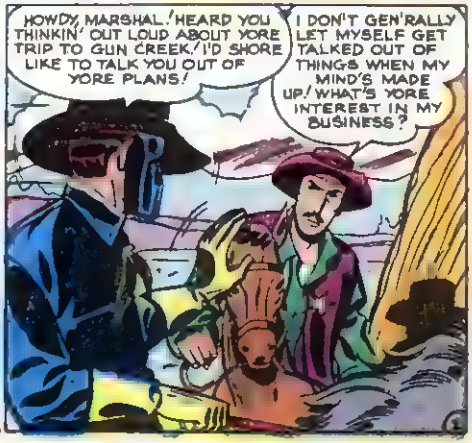
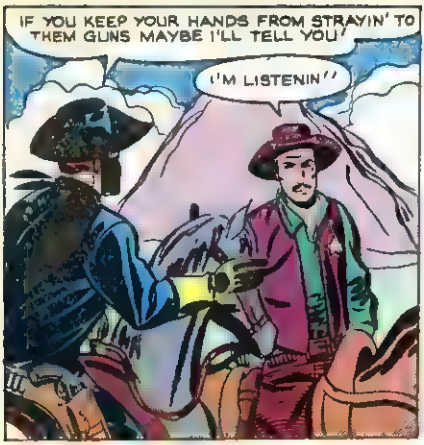
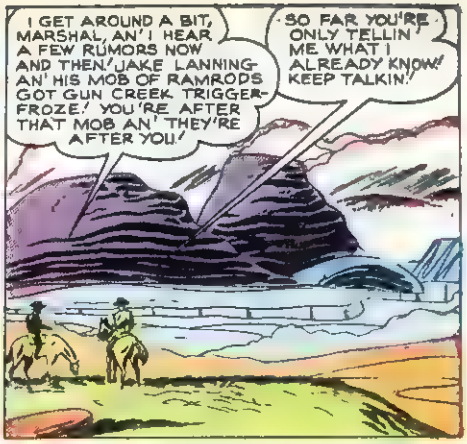

FOR JUST THIS ONCE I'M ON THE SIDE OF THE LAW!
WELCOME TO GUN CREEK
WANTED
DON'T BOTHER TURNIN', MASKED MAN, I'M SHOOTIN' YOU IN THE BACK!
OUT OF THE BLAZING DESERT CAME THIS MASKED STRANGER, RIDING WITHOUT FEAR INTO THE JAWS OF DEATH! WHO WAS THIS MAN IN BLACK, AND WHAT WAS HIS MISSION? IN GUN CREEK THERE COULD BE NOTHING AHEAD, BUT HOT LEAD AND TROUBLE IN THE LAND OF THE LAWLESS!

A LEAN, SADDLE-HARDENED RIDER TURNED HIS HORSE'S HEAD DOWN A BLAZING STRETCH OF DESERT KNOWN AS THE DEVIL'S GAUNTLET

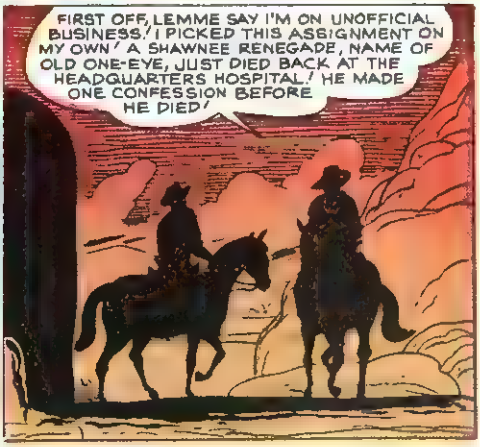


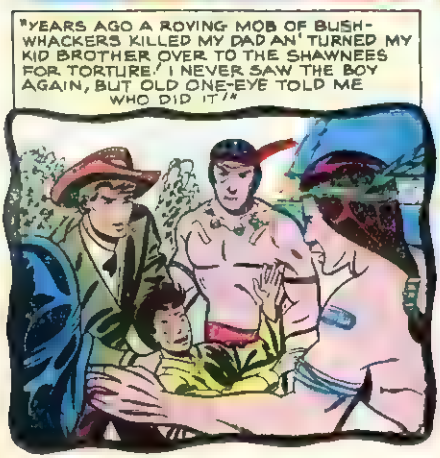

HOWDY, MARSHAL. HEARD YOU THINKIN' OUT LOUD ABOUT YORE TRIP TO GUN CREEK. I'D SHORE LIKE TO TALK YOU OUT OF YORE PLANS!
I DON'T GEN'RALLY LET MYSELF GET TALKED OUT OF THINGS WHEN MY MIND'S MADE UP. WHAT'S YORE INTEREST IN MY BUSINESS?


IF YOU KEEP YOUR HANDS FROM STRAYIN' TO THEM GUNS MAYBE I'LL TELL YOU!
I'M LISTENIN''


I GET AROUND A BIT, MARSHAL, AN' I HEAR A FEW RUMORS NOW AND THEN! JAKE LANNING AN' HIS MOB OF RAMRODS GOT GUN CREEK TRIGGER-FROZE! YOU'RE AFTER THAT MOB AN' THEY'RE AFTER YOU!
SO FAR YOU'RE ONLY TELLIN' ME WHAT I ALREADY KNOW! KEEP TALKIN!

I'D PLUMB HATE TO SEE A GOOD GOVERNMENT MARSHAL GIT HIS HIDE SIEVED WITHOUT HAVIN' A CHANCE TO FIGHT! THERE'S OTHER REASONS WHY YOU SHOULDN'T HEAD FER TOWN BUT WE WON'T TALK ABOUT 'EM
I AIN'T CONVINCED, MISTER! NOW LET ME TELL YOU A FEW THINGS!

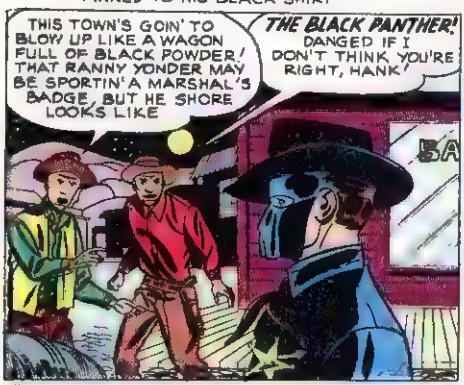

FIRST OFF, LEMME SAY I'M ON UNOFFICIAL BUSINESS! I PICKED THIS ASSIGNMENT ON MY OWN! A SHAWNEE RENEGADE, NAME OF OLD ONE-EYE, JUST DIED BACK AT THE HEADQUARTERS HOSPITAL! HE MADE ONE CONFESSION BEFORE HE DIED!


"YEARS AGO A ROVING MOB OF BUSH-WHACKERS KILLED MY DAD AN' TURNED MY KID BROTHER OVER TO THE SHAWNEES FOR TORTURE! I NEVER SAW THE BOY AGAIN, BUT OLD ONE-EYE TOLD ME WHO DID IT!"

JAKE LANNING?
JAKE LANNING IS RIGHT, STRANGER! THANKS FOR THE WARNING AN' THE PALAVER, BUT I'VE GOT BUSINESS IN GUN CREEK, SO
YOU AIN'T GOIN' TO GUN CREEK, MARSHAL!

THE TWO MEN MOVED SIMULTANEOUSLY, BUT BEFORE THE MARSHAL'S HANDS COULD REACH HIS GUNS, A BONY FIST STREAKED OUT AND

HALF AN HOUR LATER, THE GUN-COWED CITIZENS OF GUN CREEK WATCHED A MASKED RIDER LOPE INTO TOWN, WITH THE SILVER BADGE OF A U.S. MARSHAL PINNED TO HIS BLACK SHIRT


THIS TOWN'S GOIN' TO BLOW UP LIKE A WAGON FULL OF BLACK POWDER! THAT RANNY YONDER MAY BE SPORTIN' A MARSHAL'S BADGE, BUT HE SHORE LOOKS LIKE
THE BLACK PANTHER!
DANGED IF I DON'T THINK YOU'RE RIGHT, HANK!

MEBBE YOU AIN'T HEARD, MISTER, BUT JAKE LANNING'S ROUNDSIDIN' IN THIS TOWN AN' HE SHORE HATES HOMBRES WHO SPORT LAW BADGES! VAMOSE!
HAUL YORE GREASY HIDES INSIDE AN' TELL YORE BRAND SWITCHIN' BOSS THE LAW IS HERE FOR HIM!
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THE RIFLES SWEPT UP MENACINGLY, BUT CLATTERED FROM DEAD HANDS, AS THE MASKED STRANGER'S FISTS BECAME GUN-FILLED IN ONE DAZZLING MOTION OF BLURRING SPEED

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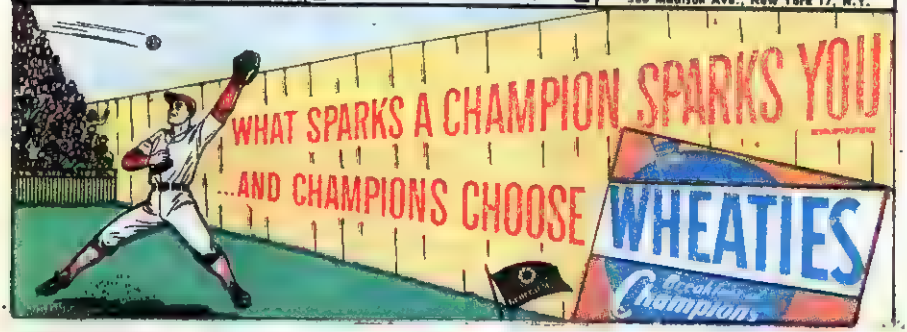
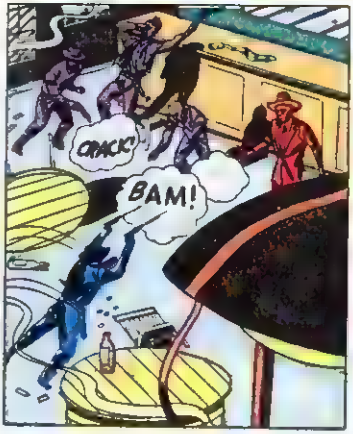
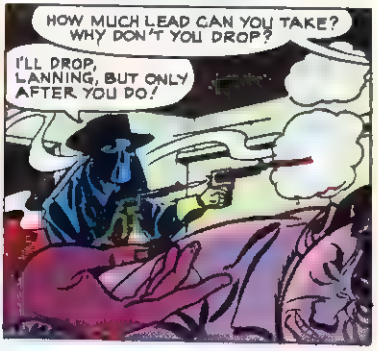


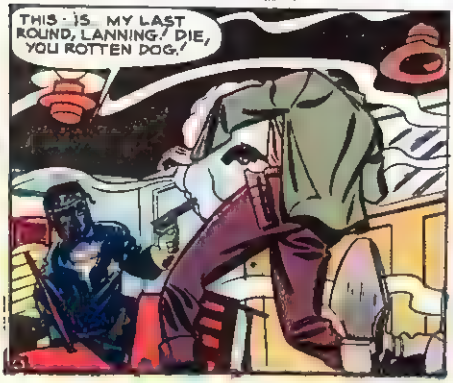
THE BLACK PANTHER LUNGED FORWARD LIKE A WHIP, UNCOILING AS HIS STOMACH SLITHERED TO THE FLOOR, HIS HANDS BECAME TWO MIGHTY SCYTHES OF DEATH!



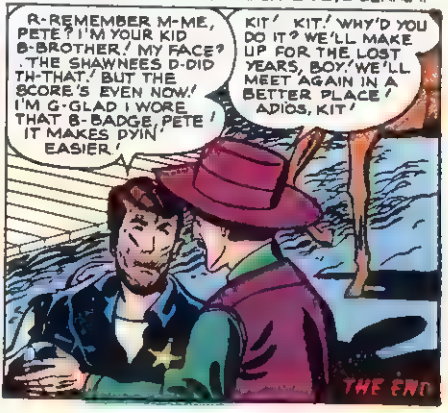
THREE FELL, BUT OTHERS JOINED THE FRACAS. AND FELL ALSO! FOR THIRTY INTERMINABLE SECONDS THE BLACK PANTHER WORKED HIS ROCKING GUNS, SWAYING WITH EACH SHOCK AS HE GAVE AND TOOK...



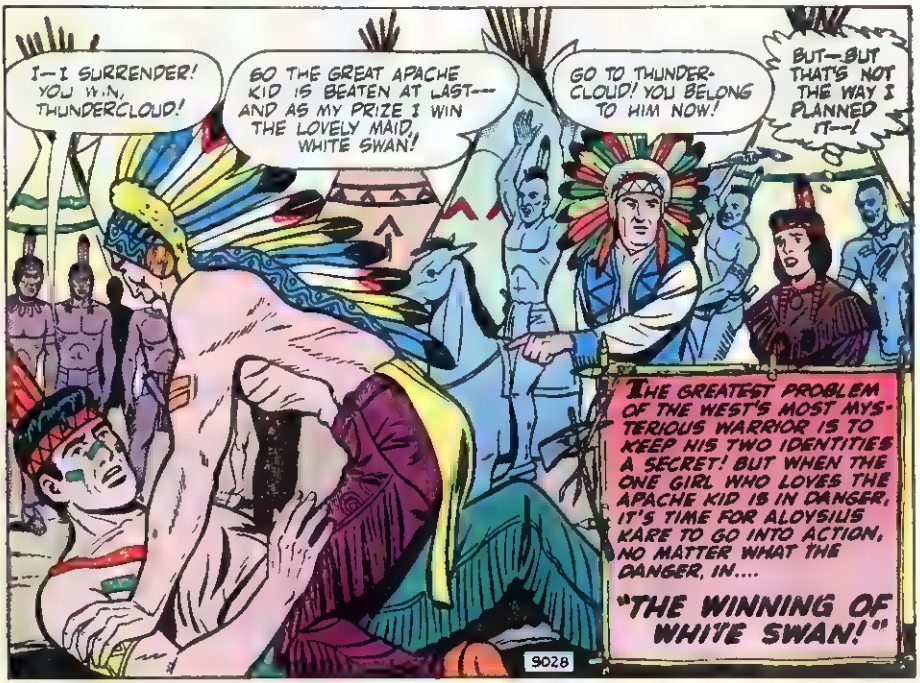
THE LEAN, YOUNG BODY ABSORBED SHOCK AFTER SHOCK OF THUDDING, EXPANDING, SEARING LEAD, UNTIL TORN FLESH AND SPLINTERED BONE COULD STAND NO MORE...



HE CRAWLED TO THE STREET AND GASPED HIS LAST IN THE ARMS OF U.S. MARSHAL PETE BURKE..


R-REMEMBER M-ME, PETE? I'M YOUR KID B-BROTHER! MY FACE? THE SHAWNEES D-DID TH-THAT! BUT THE SCORE'S EVEN NOW! I'M G-GLAD I WORE THAT B-BADGE, PETE! IT MAKES DYIN' EASIER!
KIT! KIT! WHY'D YOU DO IT? WE'LL MAKE UP FOR THE LOST YEARS, BOY! WE'LL MEET AGAIN IN A BETTER PLACE! ADIOS, KIT!
THE END

RIDE INTO WESTERN ADVENTURE WITH THE APACHE KID


I—I SURRENDER! YOU WIN, THUNDERCLOUD!
SO THE GREAT APACHE KID IS BEATEN AT LAST—AND AS MY PRIZE I WIN THE LOVELY MAID, WHITE SWAN!
GO TO THUNDER-CLOUD! YOU BELONG TO HIM NOW!
BUT—BUT THAT'S NOT THE WAY I PLANNED IT—!
THE GREATEST PROBLEM OF THE WEST'S MOST MYSTERIOUS WARRIOR IS TO KEEP HIS TWO IDENTITIES A SECRET! BUT WHEN THE ONE GIRL WHO LOVES THE APACHE KID IS IN DANGER, IT'S TIME FOR ALOYSIUS KANE TO GO INTO ACTION, NO MATTER WHAT THE DANGER, IN....
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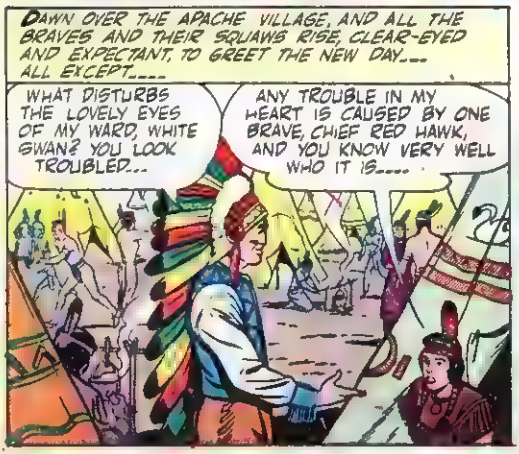
DAWN OVER THE APACHE VILLAGE, AND ALL THE BRAVES AND THEIR SQUAWS RISE, CLEAR-EYED AND EXPECTANT, TO GREET THE NEW DAY—ALL EXCEPT—
WHAT DISTURBS THE LOVELY EYES OF MY WARD, WHITE SWAN? YOU LOOK TROUBLED...
ANY TROUBLE IN MY HEART IS CAUSED BY ONE BRAVE, CHIEF RED HAWK, AND YOU KNOW VERY WELL WHO IT IS....

THE ONE WHOM I LOVE ABOVE ALL ELSE—THE ONE WHO HAS NO EYES FOR ME—THE ONE WHO IS THE HANDSOMEST, THE MOST DARING OF ALL—THE APACHE KID!

I KNOW HOW YOU FEEL, WHITE SWAN-- BUT YOU KNOW HOW HE FEELS, TOO--THE APACHE KID HAS NO TIME FOR THINGS LIKE LOVE AND ROMANCE! BESIDES, HE WILL NOT MARRY WHILE HE IS ALWAYS IN SUCH GREAT DANGER---IT WOULDN'T BE FAIR TO ASK ANY WOMAN TO SHARE HIS TROUBLES!
I SHARE THEM ANYWAY! HIS TROUBLES ARE MY TROUBLES--HIS DANGERS, MY DANGERS!
BUT TIME IS PASSING ME BY! I CANNOT SPEND THE REST OF MY LIFE WAITING FOR THE MAN I LOVE TO TAKE ME AS SQUAW! I HAVE DECIDED TO MARRY ANOTHER!
NO, WHITE SWAN! HAVE PATIENCE! I SHALL SPEAK TO MY SON!
IT IS TOO LATE! I HAVE CONSENTED TO TO MARRY CHIEF THUNDERCLOUD, HEAD OF THE TRIBE OF PAPAJOS!
THUNDERCLOUD? WHITE SWAN, HOW COULD YOU DO THIS? HE IS AN OUTLAW--A THIEF!
I DON'T CARE WHAT HE IS! HE LOVES ME AND WANTS TO MARRY ME! THATS MORE THAN SOMEONE ELSE WANTS TO DO!
THIS MEANS TROUBLE--MUCH TROUBLE!
AND TROUBLE IS THE MIDDLE NAME OF CHIEF THUNDERCLOUD, LEADER OF THE SAVAGE PAPAJOS, VICIOUS WARRIORS AND RAVAGERS! CHARGING OVER THE HORIZON, THEY COME TO CLAIM THEIR NEW QUEEN!
THIS IS A GREAT TRIUMPH FOR YOU, THUNDERCLOUD--WINNING WHITE SWAN AWAY FROM THE APACHE KID HIMSELF!
TOO MANY TIMES HAS HE BEATEN ME IN OTHER MATTERS! NOW I AM THE WINNER AT LAST!
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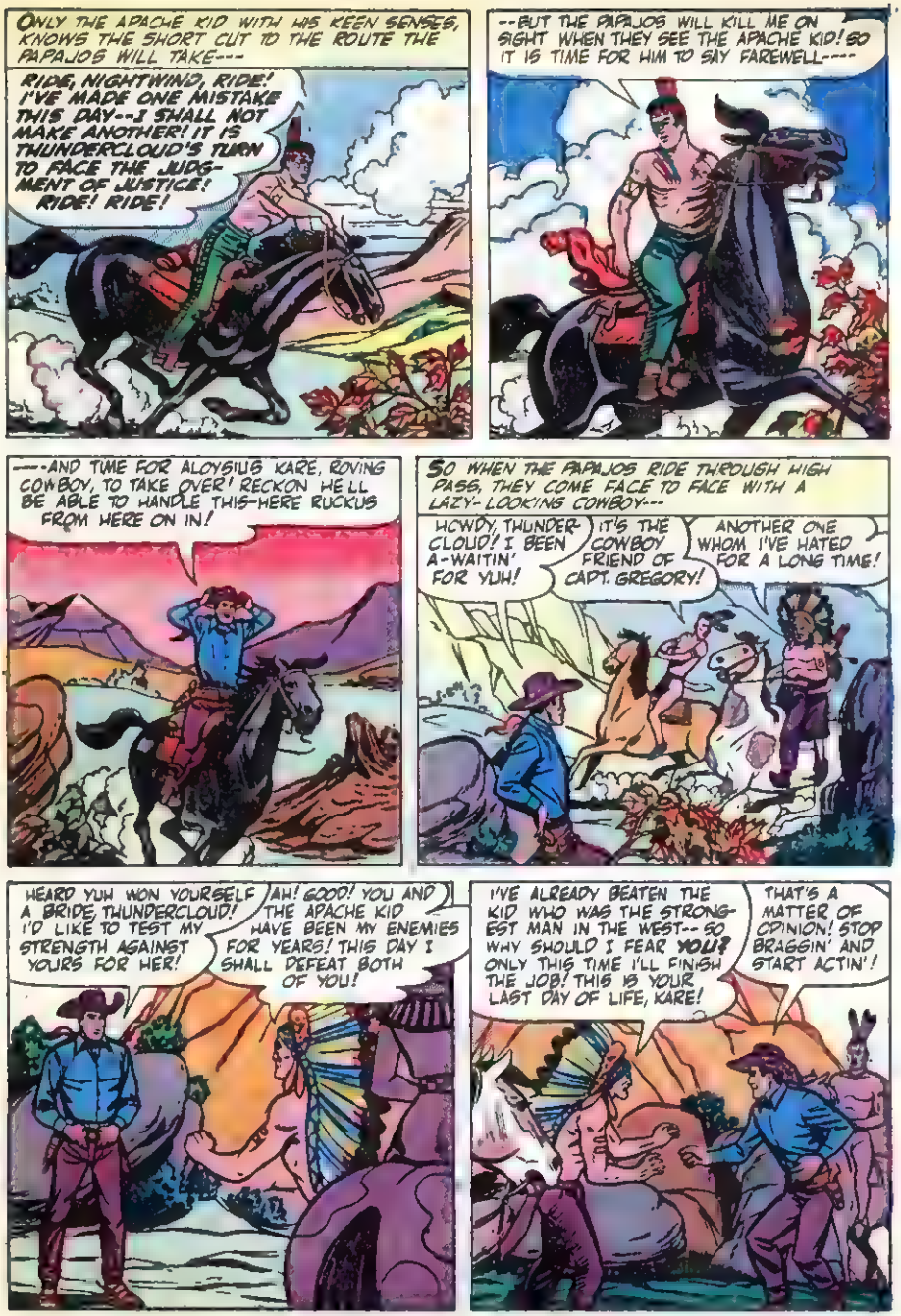
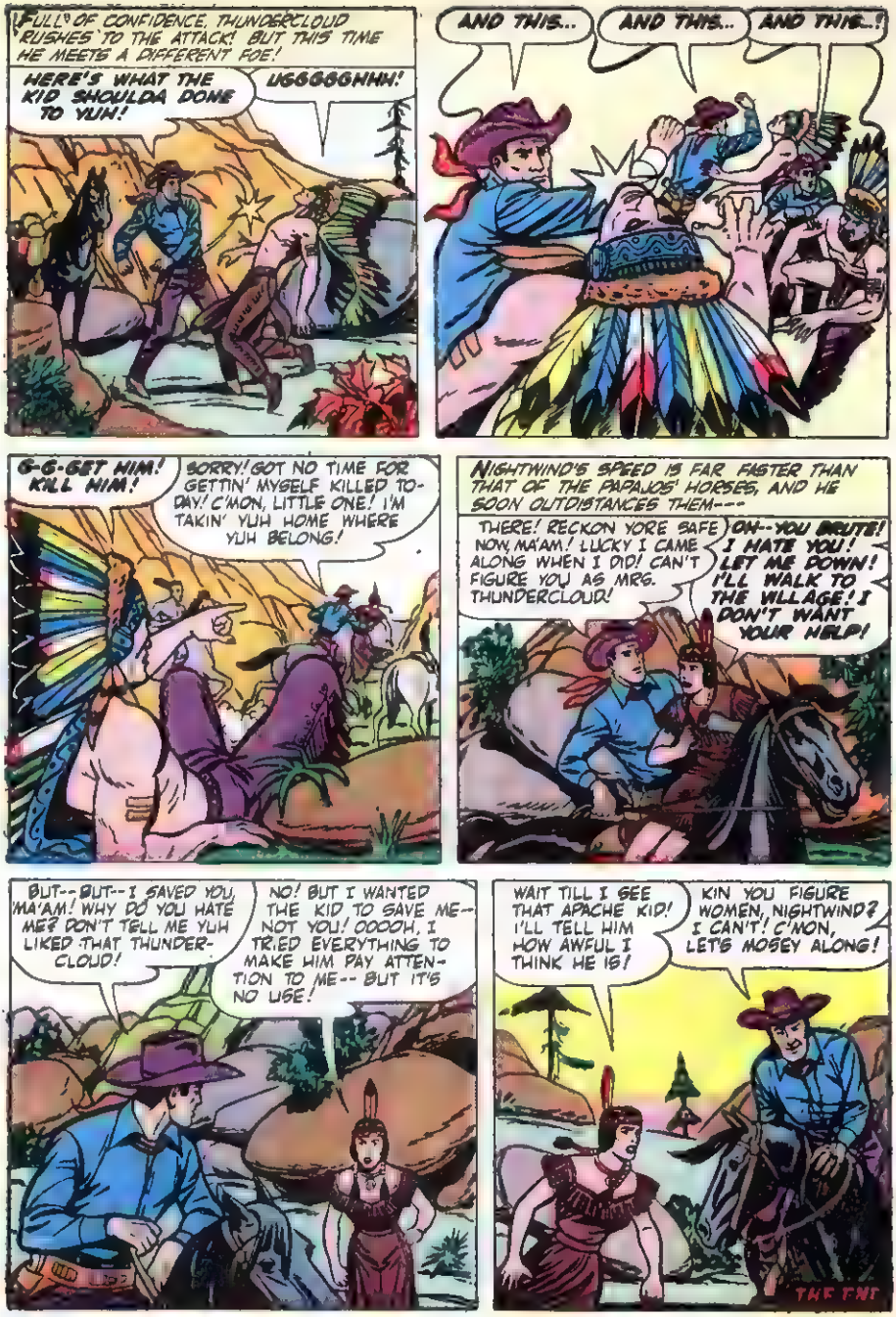
ARROGANT WITH THE BOLDNESS OF THE WILD, THUNDERCLOUD AND HIS MEN CHARGE INTO THE APACHE CAMP!
HAIL, CHIEF RED HAWK! I COME TO CLAIM MY BRIDE, THE LOVELY MAIDEN, WHITE SWAN!
THERE IS A CONDITION YOU MUST MEET FIRST, CHIEF THUNDERCLOUD!
IT IS THE LAW OF THE APACHES THAT ANY OUTSIDE TRIBESMAN WHO WANTS TO MARRY AN APACHE MAID HAS TO FIGHT THE CREAM OF THE APACHE BRAVES TO WIN HER! ARE YOU READY FOR SUCH A FIGHT!
I FEAR NO MISERABLE APACHE! BRING ON YOUR STRONGEST!
...AND THE STRONGEST IS...THE APACHE KID!
FIGHT HIM, MY SON! FIGHT HIM AND BEAT HIM!
I SHALL HAVE TO! I DON'T WANT TO SEE WHITE SWAN MARRIED TO THAT RATTLER!
LIKE TWO PRIMITIVE BEASTS OF THE WILDERNESS, THE REDSKIN BRAVES CHARGE AT EACH OTHER, EVERY MUSCLE STRAINED!
THE BATTLE IS A TOUGH ONE! THE TWO ARE EVENLY MATCHED! THE BRAVES OF BOTH SIDES WATCH EAGERLY, BUT THE KID GLANCES AT WHITE SWAN'S TENSE FACE!
SHE WANTS ME TO LOSE! SHE WANTS THUNDERCLOUD TO WIN SO THAT HE MAY MARRY HER! IF SHE WANTS IT--THAT'S WHAT SHE SHALL HAVE!
SO THE ONLOOKERS SEE THE STRANGEST SIGHT EVER BEHELD IN THE OLD WEST--THE APACHE KID DOWNED BY THUNDERCLOUD!
I-I SURRENDER!
SO! THE GREAT APACHE KID IS ONLY HUMAN AFTER ALL!

KID! HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN?
I WAS BEATEN BY A BETTER MAN, MY FATHER!
COME, WHITE SWAN! I HAVE WON YOU! YOU ARE MINE!
WAIT! KID! THIS IS ALL WRONG! I DID THIS ONLY SO THAT YOU WOULD THINK YOU WERE LOSING ME! I WANTED YOU TO REALIZE I'D BE LOST TO YOU SO YOU'D FIGHT FOR ME AND BEAT THUNDERCLOUD! I DON'T LOVE HIM! I LOVE ONLY YOU!
SHUT UP, SQUAW!
WHAT?
I HAVE WON YOU AND YOU BELONG TO ME! AWAY, BRAVES!
KID! SAVE ME! SAVE ME!
BUT BEFORE THE APACHES CAN MOVE TO THEIR HORSES, THE PAPAJOS THUNDER OUT OF SIGHT WITH THE SCREAMING WHITE SWAN!
DON'T LET THEM TAKE ME AWAY! HELP ME!
BUT I THOUGHT SHE---
IN MANY THINGS YOU ARE KEEN, MY SON, BUT NOT IN THE WAYS OF A WOMAN IN LOVE! YOU LET THUNDERCLOUD BEAT YOU--THINKING SHE WANTED IT THAT WAY. NOW--WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT IT?
I'LL SHOW YOU! APACHES, DISMOUNT! I WILL HANDLE THIS IN MY OWN WAY--AND ALONE!
NOW THAT'S THE APACHE KID TALKING! THE GOOD SPIRITS BE WITH YOU, MY SON!


ONLY THE APACHE KID WITH HIS KEEN SENSES, KNOWS THE SHORT CUT TO THE ROUTE THE PAPAJOS WILL TAKE---
RIDE, NIGHTWIND, RIDE! I'VE MADE ONE MISTAKE THIS DAY--I SHALL NOT MAKE ANOTHER! IT IS THUNDERCLOUD'S TURN TO FACE THE JUDGMENT OF JUSTICE! RIDE! RIDE!
--BUT THE PAPAJOS WILL KILL ME ON SIGHT WHEN THEY SEE THE APACHE KID! SO IT IS TIME FOR HIM TO SAY FAREWELL----
----AND TIME FOR ALOYSIUS KARE, ROVING COWBOY, TO TAKE OVER! RECKON HE'LL BE ABLE TO HANDLE THIS-HERE RUCKUS FROM HERE ON IN!
SO WHEN THE PAPAJOS RIDE THROUGH HIGH PASS, THEY COME FACE TO FACE WITH A LAZY-LOOKING COWBOY---
HOWDY, THUNDERCLOUD! I BEEN A-WAITIN' FOR YUH!
IT'S THE COWBOY FRIEND OF CAPT. GREGORY!
ANOTHER ONE WHOM I'VE HATED FOR A LONG TIME!
HEARD YUH WON YOURSELF A BRIDE, THUNDERCLOUD! I'D LIKE TO TEST MY STRENGTH AGAINST YOURS FOR HER!
AH! GOOD! YOU AND THE APACHE KID HAVE BEEN MY ENEMIES FOR YEARS! THIS DAY I SHALL DEFEAT BOTH OF YOU!
I'VE ALREADY BEATEN THE KID WHO WAS THE STRONGEST MAN IN THE WEST-- SO WHY SHOULD I FEAR YOU? ONLY THIS TIME I'LL FINISH THE JOB! THIS IS YOUR LAST DAY OF LIFE, KARE!
THAT'S A MATTER OF OPINION! STOP BRAGGIN' AND START ACTIN'!


FULL OF CONFIDENCE, THUNDERCLOUD RUSHES TO THE ATTACK! BUT THIS TIME HE MEETS A DIFFERENT FOE!
HERE'S WHAT THE KID SHOULDA DONE TO YUH!
UGGGGGHHH!
AND THIS...
AND THIS...
AND THIS...!
G-G-GET HIM! KILL HIM!
SORRY! GOT NO TIME FOR GETTIN' MYSELF KILLED TODAY! C'MON, LITTLE ONE! I'M TAKIN' YUH HOME WHERE YUH BELONG!
NIGHTWIND'S SPEED IS FAR FASTER THAN THAT OF THE PAPAJOS' HORSES, AND HE SOON OUTDISTANCES THEM---
THERE! RECKON YORE SAFE NOW, MA'AM! LUCKY I CAME ALONG WHEN I DID! CAN'T FIGURE YOU AS MRS. THUNDERCLOUD!
OH--YOU BRUTE! I HATE YOU! LET ME DOWN! I'LL WALK TO THE VILLAGE! I DON'T WANT YOUR HELP!
BUT--BUT--I SAVED YOU, MA'AM! WHY DO YOU HATE ME? DON'T TELL ME YUH LIKED THAT THUNDERCLOUD!
NO! BUT I WANTED THE KID TO SAVE ME--NOT YOU! OOOOH, I TRIED EVERYTHING TO MAKE HIM PAY ATTENTION TO ME--BUT IT'S NO USE!
WAIT TILL I SEE THAT APACHE KID! I'LL TELL HIM HOW AWFUL I THINK HE IS!
KIN YOU FIGURE WOMEN, NIGHTWIND? I CAN'T! C'MON, LET'S MOSEY ALONG!
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